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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

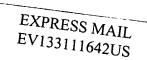
Sir:

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§ 1.136(a) for Extension of Time; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [X] A fee for additional claims is not required.
- [] A fee for additional claims is required.



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- [X] A check in the amount of [] \$55.00; [] \$205.00; [X] \$410.00; [] \$725.00; [] \$985.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith. Applicants have previously paid a one-month extension of time fee of \$155.00.
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